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Attorney Docket No.: 104732001300

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of:	Benjamin A. BOWEN, et al.	Confirmation No.:	5627
Serial No.:	10/056,479	Art Unit:	1634
Filed:	January 24, 2002	Examiner:	J. Switzer
For:	METHODS FOR IDENTIFYING GENES REGULATING DESIRED CELL PHENOTYPES		

REPLY AND AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

The enclosed documents are in response to the Office Action mailed on October 21, 2003:

[X] Petition for Extension of Time (1 page)

[X] Acknowledgment Postcard

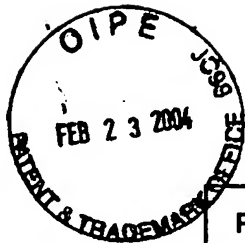
The Director is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 1.17 and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-2859. This paper is submitted in duplicate.

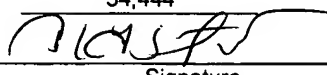
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)		Docket No. 104732001300										
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<p>This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.</p> <p>The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):</p> <table><tbody><tr><td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))</td><td>\$ 110.00</td></tr><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))</td><td>\$</td></tr><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))</td><td>\$</td></tr><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))</td><td>\$</td></tr><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))</td><td>\$</td></tr></tbody></table> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 50-2859</p> <p>I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.</p> <p>I am the <input type="checkbox"/> applicant/inventor. <input type="checkbox"/> assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96). <input type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent of record. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a). Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a) 34,444</p> <p>February 23, 2004 Date</p> <p>650-856-3700 Telephone Number</p> <p> Signature</p> <p>Carol A. Stratford, Ph.D. Typed or Printed Name</p> <p>NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Total of One forms are submitted.</p>			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	\$ 110.00	<input type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))	\$	<input type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))	\$	<input type="checkbox"/> Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))	\$	<input type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))	\$
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